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Tadabumi TOMITA et al.

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In accordance with the duty of disclosure as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, applicants hereby submit the following information in conformance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98.

The Examiner's attention is directed to allowed copending application number **09/827,934**, naming Keiji Akiyama, Hisashi Hotta and Kazuo Maemoto as inventors and filed on April 9, 2001, and the Amendments filed therein, including the Amendment filed on April 10, 2003, which sets forth the allowed claims. Copies of these documents are enclosed.

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